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Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed March 24, 2004, please substitute the Sequence Listing filed herewith for pages 113-128 of the Sequence Listing filed on October 25, 2002. The Sequence Listing has been amended to include SEQ ID NOS:11-14, sequences that were disclosed in the Specification (in paragraph [0183], but were not identified by SEQ ID Nos. Therefore, Applicants respectfully submit that the Sequence Listing fully complies with each and every requirement of 37 C.F.R. 1.821-1.825 and does not contain new matter.

Also submitted herewith is a copy of the Sequence Listing in computer readable form (CRF). The amendment and the computer readable copy as filed herewith contains no new matter.

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